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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket No. (Optional) S2856.0022/P022	
In re Application of Ichiro Mase, et al.			
Application Number 09/900,771		Filed July 6, 2001	
For: HEAT CONTROL METHOD AND HEAT CONTROLLER			
Group Art Unit 1773		Examiner N. Uhler	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110.00
- Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$
- Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$
- Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$
- Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2215.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- I am the
- applicant/inventor.
 - assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
 - attorney or agent of record.
 - attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 45,319

September 13, 2002
Date

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Signature

Edwin Oh
Typed or Printed Name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below

1 forms are submitted.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV059555606US, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on the date shown below.

Dated: 9/13/02 Signature: Nancy Sturge **NANCY STURGE**